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In re application of:

Katsutoshi TAJIRI, et al.

Appl. No. 09/933,140

Confirmation No. 4927

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For: COMMUNICATION
CONNECTING DEVICE WITH A
RELIABLE TRANSMISSION
CAPABILITY AND A DATA
OUTPUT CONTROL METHOD



Art Unit: 2833

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

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Response To Notice To File Missing Parts

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated September 25, 2001, submitted herewith are the following:

- Inventor Declaration
- Copy of September 25, 2001, Notification of Missing Parts
- Assignment with Certified Cover Letter

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Basic Filing Fee	\$ 740.00
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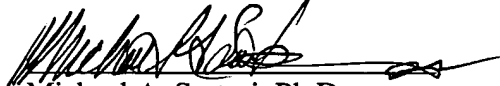
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Should no remittance be attached, or should any greater or lesser fee be required, please charge or credit our Account No. 22-0261 and advise us accordingly.

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Respectfully submitted,



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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